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TO DISTRICT DIRECTOR INS NEW YORK

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SECSTATE FOR VO

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: CVIS, NI (INTER AFRICAN PROGRESS SERVICE)

SUBJECT: POSSIBLE FRAUDULENT VISA BROKERS

1. A PROSPECTIVE NIGERIAN VISA APPLICANT HAS APPROACHED
US TO ASK ABOUT THE BONA FIDES OF:

INTER AFRICAN PROGRESS SERVICE

EAST 14TH STREET, U.S. POST

OFFICE STATION

BOX 1264

NEW YORK CITY, N.Y. 10009

2. I.A.P.S. HAS APPARENTLY BEEN SENDING FLYERS TO PROSPECTIVE
AFRICAN VISA APPLICANTS PROMISING HELP IN SECURING A
VISA. THE PROMISES IN THE FLYER ARE PITCHED TO THOSE
WHO WISH TO WORK ILLEGALLY AND THOSE WHO LACK
ACADEMIC QUALIFICATION. THE OPENING OF THE FLYER IS
"OPEN GATE TO AMERICA. A GREAT OPPORTUNITY FOR AMBITIOUS
AFRICANS, STUDENTS, WORKERS, UNEMPLOYED." SOME OF THE
PROMISES VERGE ON THE ILLEGAL: "UPON RECEIPT OF
THE \$50.00, YOU WOULD BE GIVEN EVERY ASSISTANCE
NECESSARY BY I.A.P.S. TO HELP YOU MEET ALL IMMIGRATION
REQUIREMENTS FOR YOUR DREAM OF A U.S.A. VISA...AND,
OF COURSE, YOUR VISA WOULD BE OBTAINED IN A SHOYT TIME."

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13. REQUEST ANY INFO VO OR INS MAY HAVE ON I.A.P.S.

COPIES OF FLYER BEING SENT TO ADDRESSEES.

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